

March 2, 1976

PRESIDENT: Senator Mills. Do you want to close debate, Senator Rasmussen?

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: No, we'll take the vote.

PRESIDENT: Alright the question is shall LB 519 be returned to Select File for specific amendment. Record your vote. Have all of you voted? Yes Senator Rasmussen.

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: Mr. Chairman, the Pages should have had this opinion on your desks. Also I would surely make note before you vote that according to the counsel that I have visited with....

PRESIDENT: Debate is over. We're voting, Senator Rasmussen. Have you all voted? Record.

CLERK: 18 ayes, 24 nays on the motion to return, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Motion fails. Before we have the Final Reading of this bill there are 60 fourth graders who have just come in the South balcony. They're from Prairie Lane and Oakdale Schools in Omaha, together with eight teachers. All of these students and teachers are from Senator Koch's district. Thank you all for coming.

Please read LB 519. Senator Rasmussen.

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: Mr. President, members of the body. Would it be within reason to bypass this bill until they've had a chance to read the Attorney General's opinion? I think it could affect the vote tremendously.

PRESIDENT: No. Unless the Speaker.... The Chair doesn't have that authority. Mr. Speaker, there's been a.... Mr. Speaker declines. Please read LB 519.

CLERK: Read title to LB 519.

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SENATOR MILLS: I'd like to change my vote from no to yes for reason of reconsideration.

PRESIDENT: Thank you.

CLERK: Senator Mills changing from nay to aye. Voting aye Senators Anderson, Bereuter, Burbach, Carsten, Cavanaugh, Clark, Cope, DeCamp, Duis, Fitzgerald, Fowler, George, Goodrich, Hasebroock, Johnson, Kime, Koch, R. Lewis, Marsh, Mills, Moylan, Murphy, Rumery, Savage, Schmit, Syas and Wiltse.

Voting nay Senators Barnett, Dickinson, Dworak, Kelly, Kennedy, Kremer, Luedtke, Maresh, Marvel, Nichol, Rasmussen, Skarda, Stoney, Stull and Swigart.

Not voting Senators Burrows, Chambers, Keyes, F. Lewis, Mahoney, Simpson and Warner.

27 ayes, 15 nays, 7 not voting, Mr. President.